

JOINT INVENTORS

DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

This is a Continuation-In-Part Application of U.S. Serial No. 10/357,996, filed February 4, 2003, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 09/866,042, filed May 24, 2001, which is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 09/285,409, filed April 2, 1999, issued on July 10, 2001 as U.S. Patent No. 6,258,046, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 09/160,224, filed September 24, 1998, issued on April 10, 2001 as U.S. Patent No. 6,216,024, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 09/099,293, filed June 18, 1998, issued April 25, 2000 as U.S. Patent No. 6,055,447, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 08/939,591, filed September 29, 1997, abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 08/710,208, filed September 13, 1996, abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 08/498,932, filed July 6, 1995, which issued December 3, 1996 as U.S. Patent No. 5,579,763.

As the below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to our names.

We believe we are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: **DEVICE FOR ASSESSING PERFUSION FAILURE IN A PATIENT BY MEASUREMENT OF BLOOD FLOW**, the specification of which can be identified in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office as **Serial No. 10/668,750**, filed September 23, 2003.

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Sec. 1.56(a).

POWER OF ATTORNEY: We hereby appoint all attorneys associated with customer number 34, 205 to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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We declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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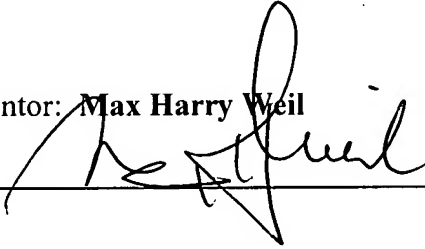
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